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Gulf of Mexico OCS Region 1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard New Orleans, LA 70123-2394

In Reply Refer To:

MS GM 266A OCS-G 29188

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Sanare Energy Partners, LLC 11 Greenway Plaza, Suite 2800 Houston, TX 77046 Attn: Sherry J. Gosnell

Dear Ms. Gosnell:

Your letter dated July 18, 2019, requesting cancellation of Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond No. N-7000943, in the amount of \$138,000, was received by our office on July 22, 2019. This bond, conditioned to cover Right-of-Way OCS-G 29188, was executed on March 23, 2018, with Northstar Offshore Ventures LLC as principal and Indemnity National Insurance Company as surety.

Attached to and forming a part of Bond No. N-7000943, is Name Change Bond Rider, executed on February 4, 2019, which changes the name of the principal from Northstar Offshore Ventures, LLC to Sanare Energy Partners, LLC. The rider is effective November 29, 2018.

We are unable to grant your request at this time. The Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement objects to this cancellation. OCS-G29188 currently has a decommissioning liability amount of \$386,793 with an uncovered amount of \$111,093. Cancellation of this bond would increase this uncovered amount.

Should you need further assistance, please contact the Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement Pipelines at pipelines@bsee.gov.

Sincerely,

Susan Vaughan, Section Chief

Leasing and Financial Responsibility Section

Leasing and Plans

cc:

Indemnity National Insurance Company

725 Cool Springs Blvd., Suite 600

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Attn: Theresa Pickerrell

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Via Federal Express

July 18, 2019

Bureau of Ocean Energy Management Lease and Financial Responsibility Section Attn: Ms. Kathleen Lee 1201 Elmwood Park Blvd. New Orleans, LA 70123-2394

Re: Bond Cancellation Request

Ship Shoal 238 R-O-W OCS-G 29188, Segment #18834

Supplemental Bond N-7000943 & Rider

Dear Ms. Lee:

Sanare Energy Partners, LLC (3520) {"Sanare"} respectfully requests the release and cancellation of Supplemental Bond #N-7000943 in the amount of \$138,000.00 representing the captioned Right-of-Way. Indemnity National Insurance Company is the Surety, with Sanare Energy Partners, LLC as Principal.

The BSEE approved Sanare's assignment of this Right-of-Way in favor of Peregrine Oil & Gas II, LLC on September 18, 2018. Peregrine provided Bond #EAIC401765 in the amount of \$70,380.00, and Bond #EAIC401766 in the amount of \$67,320.00 and received BOEM approval of these bonds made effective June 25, 2019.

Should you require additional information, please feel free to contact:

Mr. Brian Macmillan at (713) 386-1046 or bmac@sanarepartners.com Sherry Gosnell at (713) 386-1040 or sgosnell@sanarepartners.com

Or our Surety contact, Ms. Theresa Pickerrell at (502) 238-1246 or tpickerrell@smithmanus.com

Respectfully,

Sherry J. Gosnell Assistant Secretary

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